

FROM WASHINGTON.

Feb. 24.—It is very probable that there will be some warm work in the House of Representatives in the course of the present week, as it is determined by the administration, as I am told, that the New Jersey contested election shall be brought to a close before next Saturday night.

The subject is now before the House, on a resolution to print; that resolution will probably be amended so as to bring the naked question before the House; which of the two delegations from New Jersey shall be elected, and the result can scarcely be doubted.

The administration possess votes enough to enable them to control the matter, and you may be assured that it will act without one moment's hesitation. It will decide that the gentlemen from New Jersey, who hold the certificates of Gov. Pennington shall not be allowed seats, and that the other party shall.

Whether this will be right, or whether it will be wrong, it is not for me to decide, for I have not seen the testimony in the case.

A majority of the Committee on Elections, as you are aware, has expressed its opinion on the right of the *Loco Foco* seats, on the score of majorities; but it has not yet officially reported the fact. I may err in my calculations, but it is my unqualified opinion that, right or wrong, the New Jersey *Loco Foco* Delegation will be in their seats before next Saturday night.

As soon as this vexed question is settled, and its adjudication may cause some acts of confusion and violence, the sub-treasury bill will be taken up and passed without much delay. Not more than three or four days debate will be allowed it before it is forced through the House, by the application of the Previous Question. The sub-treasury bill disposed of the contested election between Messrs. Naylor and Ingersoll will be taken up.

Mr. Clay, I am told by one who I suppose knows, will in May next resign his seat in the senate, and retire to the classic retreat, and lawns, and saloons of Ashland. It is not very probable that he will be or can be induced to forego this determination.

FROM HARRISBURG.

FEBRUARY 20.

In the House, the Bank Commissioners bill was again considered in committee of the whole. After two or three questions had been taken on unimportant amendments, on motion of Mr. Hopkins, the committee rose, and leave to sit again was refused, so that on Monday next the bill will come up on second reading. A bill in relation to Justices of the Peace was then considered in committee of the whole, and passed.

In Senate, a motion to postpone the orders of the day, for the purpose of taking up the Bank bill was made, and it requiring two thirds was negatived. The vote stood 19 to 10 in favor of the motion. The vote was in no respect a party vote. I perceive by the papers that much apprehension prevails on the subject of the action of the Legislature upon the bank question. I do not consider that there is any cause whatever for fear. I regard it as settled, that nothing will be done to materially affect the banks. They will have their day for resumption, and the general law will be such as the banks will acquiesce in.

The capitol was the scene of a very disgraceful act to day—the attack of a member of the Senate, by a member of the House, and for a cause not originating in any Legislative or personal matter. The parties were Mr. McElwee and Mr. Barclay. They met in the rotunda between the two chambers, when McElwee, without further notice than “you d—d rascal,” struck Mr. Barclay with his cane. The blow was repeated several times, with an attempt to draw the sword from the stick, when Mr. Barclay went into the hall of Representatives, and seized a cane convenient to the door for self defence.

They were, at this stage, interrupted by a rush and separated. Neither party is much hurt, though Mr. B. has marks on his forehead; but the legislature is disgraced which permits scenes within its very halls, without notice. The only cause for the attack known to Mr. Barclay, was the “service of a notice to plead,” in a certain suit in which Mr. B. is the attorney, and Mr. McE. a defendant, which service was made in the morning. I make no further comments.

Philad's Inquirer.

William Henry Harrison, next President of the United States, was born on the 9th of February, 1773, and will of course be 67 years old on Sunday next. His birth day is to be appropriately celebrated by the republicans in the 17th Ward, who will partake of a dinner at Horton's in Houston st., on Monday.—N. Y. Times.

There was another great Whig meeting at the Capitol in Kentucky, on the 20th ult. The Commonwealth gives full and glowing details. Many ladies were in the lobbies. Gen. Combs, one of the Harrisburgh delegates, spoke for two hours with great ability, and was constantly interrupted by the irrepressible enthusiasm which his eloquence excited. It revived, says the report, all the glories, and disasters, too, of the North Western Campaign, and there were many present who could have borne their testimony to the truth and vividness of his sketches. There were around him the old soldiers of Harrison, and a multitude, now in their manhood, whose first recollections were associated with the events of the last war. This emphatic sentence follows:

“If that speech were made in every County in the U. S., we do not believe that that Mr. Van Buren would get 20 electoral votes in the whole college. Gen. Combs ought to write out the speech and let the press circulate it to the extremities of the union, it would do good every where.”

We have no doubt of it. No man in our country was ever more undervalued than the old veteran of North Bend. And as the people come to read the record of his life, and listen to the story of his services and sufferings, his personal perils and heroic devotion to his country and her cause, their hearts involuntarily glow with patriotic ardour. It is the unbought, unpraiseworthy homage of the heart to patriotism.—Sentinel of Freedom.

HARRISON AMONG THE BUCKEYES.—The Ohio State Journal of the 31st ult. says—“The tide is turning in earnest. A number of recent Van Buren men of Stark and Wayne had sent us a letter, which we received this morning, directing us to secure good quarters for them on the 23d. Converts are always welcome and they shall have quarters.”

In Ross county there is a great rally among the fellow soldiers and citizens of the Log Cabin candidate. Arrangements are being made by the Harrison and Tyler men of Ross, to march from Chillicothe for Columbus, on the 19th inst. to attend the State Convention of the 23d; all good men and true, disposed to join the expedition, are requested to enter their names, and advised to “procure each a tin cup and a knapsack, with four day's rations.”

The Ohio Confederation, published at Columbus and heretofore a Jackson Van Buren paper, has come out openly for Harrison, and the editor avows his determination to support him for the next Presidency.

The Scioto Gazette, published at Chillicothe, says: “We hear every day of new recruits to the cause of Old Tippecanoe.” It is quite plain that the Buckeye State is in earnest in support of its well tried son. That the Log Cabin candidate will carry the whole West, is already beyond a reasonable doubt.

The way the Government settles with her *Loco-Foco* defaulters is a caution. The lands of W. P. Harris, defaulter, of Mississippi, who was only \$60,000 minus in his accounts, were recently levied on. They were estimated at \$36,000, and sold for 300—the broker of the defaulter purchasing it. The Marshall took an opportunity to put it up when no other person was present.

Arkansas is moving vigorously in favor of Harrison. The popular feeling is carrying all before it.

MARRIED.

At Easton, on the 7th inst., by the Rev. B. C. Wolf, Mr. William H. Lowell, of Easton, to Miss Mary Biddenbender, of Newark, N. J.

On Saturday, the 22 inst., by the Rev. R. Bull, Mr. E. Nichols, of Orange county, N. Y., to Miss Emmeline, eldest daughter of Mr. Henry Brink, of Westfall township, Pike county.

DIED.

In Duttsburg, Monroe county, on the 22d inst. Amelia Dutett, aged about 30 years.

Monroe County Statement for 1839.

ANDREW STORM, Treasurer, in account with the County of Monroe.

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To cash received from the following collectors:
An account of taxes received in 1836, 24,94
Do. do. 1837, 268,75
Do. do. 1838, 1622,36
Do. do. 1839, 2082,18

Balance due to the County of Monroe by the late Treasurer, and paid over to Andrew Storm, 576,87

To redemption money on the following tracts of unseated lands purchased by the County and since redeemed by the owners, viz:

Chesnut hill township, Christian Heckewelder, 436 acres 4 perches, 9,06
Fines in the following criminal cases:
Commonwealth vs. William Snyder, 10,00
Same vs. James Vanawman, 1,00

Total, 4595,16

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Cash paid to Supervisors, viz:

To Supervisors of Price township, 67,26
“ “ of Tobyhanna, paid to Aaron B. Drishbaugh, 190,00
“ “ paid to Peter Merwine, 180,00

To supervisors of Coolbaugh, paid to Patrick M'Dolan, 5,52

442,78

Administration of Justice.

Pay and mileage of Grand Jurors, 321,25
Do. do. of Petit Jurors, 633,51

Fees drawn by Clerk of the Session and Common Pleas, Sam'l Snyder, 9,17
Do. do. do. John Keller, 62,04

Peter Wyckoff fees for rendering services as Commissioners' Clerk, 83,00
Constables attending Courts and making returns, 60,73

Constables and witness fees in the following criminal cases, viz:
Commonwealth vs. Abraham Buttz, 18,16
Same vs. John Fenner, 2,16
Same vs. Jasper Cotant, 33,32
Same vs. Isaac Bisbing, 16,30
Same vs. Francis J. Staples, 13,17
Same vs. John Miller, 4,80
Same vs. James Vanaman, 59,60
Same vs. Oliver D. Stone, 45,86

192,83
Court Crier, cleaning Court House, Jail, and boarding prisoners, &c. William P. Hallock, 70,03

Inquisitions on Dead Bodies.

Holding inquisition on the body of John Lacos, found in the river Delaware, 17,42

County Printing by James Raferty.

Publishing proclamation, Jury Lists and Trial Lists for the several Courts, 37,25
Receipts and expenditures of Monroe County, 50,00
Six quires of County Checks, 6,00
Three do. of Assessors Blanks, 1,25
Advertising notice of day of appeal, 2,00
Sheriff's proclamation of General Election, 21,00

120,50

Premiums.

Amount paid bounty on Fox Scapls, 79,504
Do. do. on Wild Cats, 11,874
Do. do. on Crows, 63

Bridge completions and repairs.

Work, lumber, &c. for building bridge over Brodheads Creek at Stokes' Mills 298,89

Adam Kunkle for repng. bridge in Ross Township, 8,00

David Gregory for putting plank on bridge over Wild Creek, 3,49

John Kunkle for putting plank on bridge at Kunkle Town, 6,42

William Huston for plank and repairs at bridge at Kunkle Town, 3,00

John Boys for building bridge at Cotants in full in Stroud Township 190,10

Do. do. for 80 feet of plank, 80

William Elyenberger for building bridge over Cherry Creek, and extra work, 82,73

Jacob Henry for 1000 feet of Bridge plank delivered at Stroudsburg, 10,00

Francis J. Smith, for work and lumber at Ransbury's bridge, 22,04

Jasper Cotant for work done at Cotant's bridge, 21,62

Joseph Hauser, plank on Smithfield bridge Charles W. Landers for plank and repairs at bridge over Marshall's Creek, 5,64

Joseph A. Brown, for building and abutment under bridge at Cotants, 78,00

John Moyers for repairing abutment under bridge over Cherry Creek, 20,50

Joseph A. Brown for building bridge and extra timber, at Kerr's in Stroud township, 240,50

Daniel and John Zimmerman, Timber and repairs done at bridge over Marshall Creek in Smithfield, 75,98

Henry Fenner putting plank over Pencil's Creek, 1,28

Joseph Kinker for repairing abutment under bridge over Kestle's Creek in Ross township, e2,00

Joseph Kunkle for building bridge in Ross township, 35,00

Lawrence Surfass, repairing bridge in Chestnut hill, 21,50

Joseph Kunkle for building bridge in Hamilton township, 53,00

A Storm hauling and work at Kerr's bridge, 9,34

1200,48

Road Views.

Amount paid for laying out Road and Bridge views in different townships, 202,00

Expenses for General Elections in 1839.

Pocono Township, 11,70
Ross, do. 13,60
Middle Smithfield township, 11,40
Price township, 11,60
Stroud township, 11,00

James H. Walton for services as Clerk on return day, 2,00

John Shoemaker for making returns to Northampton Co., 4,50

65,80

Assessments.

Tobyhanna, 19,00
Coolbaugh, 7,50
Smithfield, 16,00
Middle Smithfield, 16,00
Ross, 12,25
Chestnut hill, 17,00
Stroud, 13,11

John Price for attending Appeal from Price, 1,00

101,86

Statistical Assessments.

Coolbaugh 2,50
Price, 15,25
Pocono, 20,00
Smithfield, 25,00
Middle Smithfield, 28,00
Stroud, 7,69
Chestnut hill, 17,00

115,44

Compensation to Commissioners.

Henry Fenner, in full, 82,50
Edward Postens in part 114,00
Joseph Kemmerer, 84,00

280,50

Amount paid to Auditors for auditing account of Monroe County, 1838, 43,50

Amount refunded to Michael Brown, Collector, as overpaid on Duplicates 1836 and '37, 12,874

Miscellaneous Expenses.

Amount paid Charles Hawk, 2 door locks for County offices, 11,00

“ “ Edward H. Walton for chairs and repairing locks, 19,50

“ “ Charles Postens, wood for court house and jail, 3,00

“ “ Robert Brown, do. 3,00

“ “ Henry Smith, do. 4,60

“ “ John Boys, 1 lock, 1,00

“ “ Adam Hoofsmith, compensation for damages by road going through his lands, 15,00

“ “ Charles Musch, making case for county office, 4,00

“ “ James H. Walton, for procuring the assessors' names to certificates to the State Treasurer, 10,00

“ “ Charles Drake, for carpenter work done at court house, 1,00

“ “ Samuel Gunsaulus, wood for court house, 2,25

“ “ C. R. & J. V. Wilson, 1 lock for court house, 1,00

Amount of checks out and unpaid at last settlement, 12,04

Amount paid to Stoddell Stokes, candles, locks, &c., 2,38

“ “ Henry Jordan & Co. iron for jail, 94

“ “ Stokes & Brown, store bill from June 13, 1838, to Sep. 13, 1839, 40,69

“ “ Peter Young, 1 pair hoppers for jail, 4,50

“ “ John O'Conner, fixing spout on court house, 75

“ “ Henry Young, handcuffs for county jail, 1,75

“ “ Robert Brown, wood for court house and jail, 5,00

“ “ Joseph S. Teel, sheriff, balance after deducting fines and jury funds for summoning jurors, 5,00

“ “ Silas L. Drake, mak-21,75 ing box to bell at court house, 1,00

“ “ Edward Brown, wood, 4,00

“ “ Henry Smith, do. 7,50

“ “ John Weitzell, cutting wood at court house, 75

“ “ Henry Hamman's assignments, books for county, 10,00-188,36

Amount paid to Joseph Fenner, late Treasurer, error in last statement, 50,00

Justices fees in the following Criminal cases:

Commonwealth vs. Abm. Butz, 1,55

Same vs. John Miller, 64,00

Same vs. Isaac Bisbing, 1,91

Same vs. John Pennel, 1,19

4,799,56

2,082,18

2,717,38

Recapitulation of the following statement:

Years	Balances and Quotas.	Exonerations.	Commissions.	Payments.	Arrears.
1836	309,08			24,94	284,14
1837	857,32	5,87	9,70	268,75	573,00
1838	2,728,64			1,622,36	1,106,28
	3,895,04	5,87	9,70	1,916,05	1,963,42

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Statement of balances due by Collectors on the 10th day of January, 1839, as settled by Auditors, with the exonerations, commissions, and payments, and the balances due the 23d day of January, 1840,

Collectors.	Townships.	Balances	Ex's	Com.	Payments	Arrears.
1836 David Gregory,	Chestnut hill,	64,28			24,94	39,34
Felix Weise,	Hamilton,	59,95				59,95
Geo. T. Mackey and Geo. Setzer,	Pocono,	68,71				68,71
Christian Stout,	Tobyhanna,	77,95				77,95
Michael Brown,	Stroud,	38,19				38,19
		309,08			24,94	284,14
1837 Michael Brown,	Stroud,	48,15				48,15
George Labar,	Middle Smithfield,	130,84			38,00	92,84
Jacob Hessler,	Tobyhanna,	63,39				63,39
Reter Hoofsmith,	Chestnut hill,	164,38			55,00	109,38
Peter Snyder,	Hamilton,	255,56			126,00	129,56
Godfrey Greensweig,	Ross,	90,38				90,38
James Turpenny,	Smithfield,	84,30			45,00	39,30
Andrew Learn,	Pocono,	20,32	5,87	9,70	4,75	
		857,32	5,87	9,70	268,75	563,00
1838 Andrew L. Storm,	Price,	81,19			55,00	26,19
Michael Brown,	Stroud,	535,75			494,86	40,79
Daniel E. Labar,	Coolbach,	5,55			5,55	
Jacob Bisbing,	Pocono,	154,07			48,00	106,07
George Shupp,	Pocono,	345,29			103,00	242,29
John Rouse,	Chestnut hill,	310,84			115,00	195,84
Henry Moyer,	Smithfield,	377,66			287,93	89,73
James' Place,	Middle Smithfield,	215,23			116,20	99,03
David Smith,	Ross,	494,46			346,79	147,74
Samuel Bond,	Tobyhanna,	208,60			50,00	158,60
		2,728,64			1,622,36	1,106,28

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